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C O N F I D E N T I A L MANILA 2285

E.O. 11652: GDS

TAGS: EAIR, RP

SUBJECT: CIVAIR -- PAN AM CARGO PERMIT

REF: A. MANILA 2043

 B. STATE 029296

1. FURTHER TO REFTEL A, EMBASSY IS NOW INFORMED BY PAN AM REP THAT PAL (TODA) IS GIVING SERIOUS THOUGHT TO AGREEMENT ON A SETTLEMENT OF THE SAN FRANCISCO DISPUTE. WE GATHER PROPOSAL WOULD BE IN THE LOWER RANGE PREVIOUSLY INDICATED TO GOP AND TO PAL AND DISCUSSED DURING RECENT VISIT OF U.S. CAB MEMBER TIMM. AT THE SAME TIME, PAL AND PAN AM HAVE BEEN DISCUSSING A NEW ALL-CARGO SCHEME UNDER WHICH (A) PAN AM WOULD APPLY FOR AND RECEIVE UNRESTRICTED CARGO RIGHTS ON THE PREVIOUS THREE FLIGHT WEEKLY SCHEDULE, AND (B) PAL WOULD BE ALLOTTED BLOCK SPACE ON EACH FLIGHT TO INITIATE ITS ALL-CARGO SERVICE AND GAIN EXPERIENCE WITH IT. IT IS PRESUMED, BUT NOT MADE EXPLICIT IN ANY DISCUSSION EMBASSY AWARE OF, THAT CASE AGAINST PAN AM WOULD THEN BE DROPPED.

2. WHILE FOREGOING APPEARS ADEQUATELY ON THE TACK INDICATED REFTEL A, IT IS ONLY IN TALKING STAGE AND COULD WELL EVAPORATE IN THE VAPORS OF SUSPICION AND DOUBT THAT SO CHARACTERIZE THE PATTERN OF PAL/PAN AM CONTENTION. IN ANY EVENT, BUT PARTICULARLY AS A HEDGE AGAINST THE CURRENT EFFORT GOING SOUR, EMBASSY BELIEVES THAT FORMAL RECORD SHOULD BE SET STRAIGHT PER PARA 2 REF B. EMBASSY
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PROPOSES, THEREFORE, TO SUBMIT A NOTE BEFORE THE END OF

THE 30-DAY WAITING PERIOD ON PAL'S SCHEDULE FILING WHICH
WOULD STATE THE U.S. POSITION THAT PAN AM'S ALL CARGO PERMIT
IS COVERED UNDER THE AUGUST 10, 1974 AGREEMENT. EMBASSY
WOULD HOPE TO TIME THIS ACTION SO AS TO GIVE PAL THE MAXIMUM
POSSIBLE TIME FOR CONSTRUCTIVE THOUGHT, BUT TRUST DEPARTMENT
SHARES THE VIEW THAT IN THE EVENT TODA SUFFERS A CHANGE OF
HEART, IT WOULD BE UNFORTUNATE NOT TO HAVE THE RECORD COMPLETE.

3. PLEASE ADVISE.
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